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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: 23 May House Energy Committee Briefing on the
Persian Gulf

1. The House Committee on Energy and Commerce received a briefing on 23 May 1984 at 1:00 p.m. in 2218 Rayburn House Office Building on the Persian Gulf. The briefing was at the Codeword level. No transcript was taken. A security sweep was conducted and monitoring maintained. ☐

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2. Present from the Committee were:

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| John D. Dingell (D., MI), | James T. Broyhill (R., NC), |
| Chairman | Ranking Minority Member |
| James H. Scheuer (D., NY) | Thomas J. Tauke (R., IA) |
| Richard L. Ottinger (D., NY) | Dan Coats (R., IN) |
| Barbara Mikulski (D., MD) | |
| Mike Synar (D., OK) | |
| Jim Slattery (D., KS) | |
| Gerry Sikorski (D., MN) | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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4. Present from the Committee staff was Steve Sims. ☐

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5. Present from other government agencies were:

Charles Boykin, Department of Energy
Randall Davis, Assistant to the President for Policy. ☐

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6. Present from the Central Intelligence Agency were:

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7. The briefing was focused on the Members' concerns with the current military situation in the Gulf, the likely next developments, and the implications for the world energy balance. Officers from State Department and the Department of Energy attended the briefing. Following the conclusion of the intelligence briefing, they appeared in open session to discuss policy aspects of the Gulf crisis.

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